

# BIG SANDY NEWS.

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## THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

March 24.

Herman Hamilton, a negro, was executed at Columbus, Ohio, after midnight for the murder at Portsmouth of a railroad foreman, Lee Calvert, of Louisville.

In the house of Commons yesterday the Secretary of State for India gave figures on deaths from the plague in the peninsula. These showed that from hundreds of thousands of lives had been lost since the first of January from this cause.

It is said that the President has stated Gen. Rosser, who was the young Brigadier General in the Confederate service, for the office of United States Marshal for a Virginia district. General Rosser at present is postmaster at Charlottesville but does not like the office.

At the office of the Council of Foreign Bondholders in London yesterday it was stated that the agreement between the Venezuelan Government and the British and German bondholders had been signed by the representatives of Venezuela and the German bondholders. The agreement is now on its way to London for the signature of the representatives of the British bondholders.

Nothing could be ascertained at the Belgian Legation in Washington yesterday as to the correctness of the statement attributed to resident Masons of Santo Domingo, relative to Belgium's attitude toward the claim preferred against the republic. It is believed that in a general way Morales is right in supposing that the failure of the Dominican treaty will cause foreign creditor nations to contemplate prompt action looking to the securing of their claims. The department has hopes, however, that the Senate will ratify the treaty when it meets and that complications can be avoided.

The Ministers and supporters of the court who have been urging upon Emperor Nicholas the advisability of making peace proposals to Japan, believe they have been successful and an Associated Press correspondent at St. Petersburg hears that an actual step toward peace "is imminent, if not already taken." The situation of Gen. Linevich's army is again regarded as critical, and reports from the scene of war say that he will need re-enforcements of 200,000 men to successfully hold his own against the Japanese. Otherwise, it is asserted, he may be compelled to retreat beyond Harbin and abandon Manchuria to the enemy. He has been ordered to make a stand at Sungaria river at all hazards. A St. Petersburg dispatch says all the women have been ordered to leave Vladivostok. The Japanese are keeping up their pursuit of the Russian army, and the town of Changtu was occupied on the 21st. There are reports which indicate that they are undertaking wide flanking movements.

March 25.

Jules Verne, the author, is dead at his home at Amiens, France, after a long illness of diabetes.

Don Manuel Asproz, the Mexican Ambassador to the United States, died yesterday in Washington after a lingering illness.

A mob of 2,000 men made an attempt to lynch a motorman in New York because his car had run over and killed a four-year-old boy. The motorman was rescued by a detail of police.

Representatives of the American colony in London gave a dinner to H. C. Evans, retiring Consul General to London, yesterday. In reply to complimentary speeches Col. Evans said among other things that he was "going home to God's country."

Details regarding prices for cattle and dressed beef, and the question of possible rebates given by railroads, are said to be the principal objects to which the Government attorneys are directing their attention in the Beef Trust inquiry at Chicago. An investigation is also proceeding in New York.

President Castro, of Venezuela, has replied to Minister Bowen, flatly refusing to submit to arbitration the differences between Venezuela and the United States. It is stated in Washington that no drastic action in the matter is contemplated and that the United States Government will await developments.

The body of Mrs. Jane Stanford was laid to rest in the family mausoleum at Leland Stanford University yesterday. Thousands of mourners attended, and there was a wealth of floral offerings from all over the country. Ministers of several denominations, including the rabbi of Temple Emmanuel, San Francisco, took part in the services.

Stanley Francis, alias Arthur S. Foster, was arrested in Philadelphia yesterday on the charge of using his mail for fraudulent purposes. He is alleged to be the promoter of many "get-rich-quick" schemes, among them being the Storey Cotton Company and the Provident Investment Company. He was held to answer in \$100,000 bail.

The testimony in the hearing of the application for bail by the Hargises

and Callahan was concluded before Judge Parker at Lexington, but decision was reserved until to-day or Monday. Elbert Hargis, one of the defendants, denied all connection with the assassination of James Cockrill, saying that he did not even know that Cockrill was in the town of Jackson until after Cockrill had been killed.

In Bankruptcy Court proceedings at Cleveland Mrs. Chadwick stated that the total amount of her indebtedness will not exceed \$750,000. Of this she says she received only \$517,000, leaving \$25,600 for commissions to money lenders. She said that she owes \$200,000 to certain banks in Cleveland and that her indebtedness in Pittsburgh is about \$225,000. The hearing was postponed until Thursday in order that certain papers bearing on the case might be procured in a number of cities.

March 26.

Maurice Barrymore, the actor, died yesterday in a sanitarium at Amityville, Long Island. He had been in failing health for several years.

The American squadron departed from Havana yesterday, the departure being the occasion of a remarkable demonstration of good will by thousands of Cubans.

Four more bodies were recovered yesterday from the Rush Run mine, the scene of the disastrous explosion of a week ago. Several other bodies are yet to be found.

President Castro, of Venezuela, is said to be manifesting strong hostility to French and American interests and a dispatch from Paris says the French Government is desirous of conferring with the United States with a view to taking some concerted action.

The American evangelists who have been holding the great revival in London declare that the success of the mission has exceeded their most sanguine expectations. Over a thousand converts, they say, have publicly professed religion, and thousands more have privately acknowledged the spiritual.

Monsieur Rouvier is said to strongly approve the establishment in Paris of a Franco-American financial institution. The action of the heads of certain American insurance companies, in steady the Bourse by purchasing \$4,000,000 of rents in a day during a period of financial stress, while the religious agitation was at its height, made a great impression on me in France.

The Court of Appeals adjourned for the January term, after disposing of a number of important cases. Judgment of the Harrison Circuit Court, sentencing Curtis Jett to be hanged for the murder of James Cockrill at Jackson, was reversed and the case remanded for a new trial. The case of Caleb Powers goes back to the Scott Circuit Court for a fourth trial.

The State Department has received a cablegram from Minister Dawson on San Domingo, which is said to give information concerning a tentative agreement he has endeavored to negotiate on his own initiative for a settlement of the present acute phase of the Republic's fiscal troubles. In substance the plan contemplates the nomination of an American commission to collect the revenues of the island for the purpose of paying Dominician debts, should this treaty finally be ratified by the Senate.

March 27.

The Southern iron trade is reported in better condition than at any time for the past five years.

Twenty-six thousand aliens arrived last week in the United States. At least 23,000 are expected to arrive this week.

Mexico's new monetary system will go into effect May 1. The mint will be closed April 16 to free coinage of silver.

A financial collapse is threatened in China through the mintage of base copper currency whereby provincial officials have reaped great sums annually.

The Tobacco Growers' Fair and Pure Food Exhibit Company propose to hold a tobacco and grain fair next fall at Lexington, at which prices aggregating \$10,000 will be offered.

The Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden, pastor of the First Congregational church of Columbus, O., in a sermon John D. Rockefeller, and advised against the acceptance, by the American Board of Missions, of his gift of \$100,000.

The establishment in Kentucky of independent oil refineries is talked of by promoters, who claim that they have a process by which they can refine oil cheaper than the Standard Oil Company, and that they have sufficient capital to make the undertaking a success. There has been an increase in activity the past week in the Kentucky fields, and the outlook is encouraging.

Peace talk continues to be heard throughout Europe, and the Russian Council of Ministers is agreed that the time is opportune. Japan is said to be willing to make peace provided Russia abandons for a term of years

Uncle Tol.

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## HEALTH is the Most Important

The manufacturers of Royal Baking Powder have had 40 years of scientific experience.

Every method of bread-and-cake raising has been exhaustively studied in this country and abroad.

The result is a perfect product in Royal Baking Powder. There is no substitute for it. The purity and efficiency of Royal Baking Powder have been commended by the highest authorities of the world.

These facts mean two important things to all housekeepers:

First: that Royal Baking Powder is healthy and makes wholesome food.

Second: that Royal Baking Powder makes food good to taste.

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
**ABSOLUTELY  
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MATTIE.

Weather is fine and farmers are very busy preparing for a crop. W. T. Jordan and wife are back on our creek from Columbus, Ohio, on a visit, but are going back in a few days. Sorry to have them leave us.

Uncle Harry Chaffins, who has been very sick for some time past, is getting much better. Lagrange has been raging on our creek. Most of the folks are getting better.

Will Johnson, of Georges Creek, was on our creek the other day.... Born, to W. Z. Hays and wife on the 17th, a fine boy which only lived a short time, and was buried in the All Hays graveyard.... Married, on the 16th, Jerry B. Moore, of Mattie, to Miss Telia Borders, of Charley.

May peace and happiness attend their lot.... Jay Hays, of Mattie, is taking of going to Washington in the near future. Sorry to have him go. Jay is a nice, honest, sober boy and is liked by all who know him.... Jeff Ball is working in the seed sower again this spring, but no accident yet.... Cren Hays was visiting Freelite Berry recently and J. D. Moore, Sr., later on.... Uncle Johnny Cordle and wife were visiting their son, George, Saturday and Sunday. Also, Doc Childers was at J. D. Moore's last Sunday.... W. H. C. McKinster is having a new house built where his house was burned.... B. F. Moore is clearing a nice piece of ground this spring. Also, G. V. Ball, Jr., has a fine new ground ready to burn off.... T. W. Ball and D. M. Moore made a business trip to Louis recently.... Rev. J. H. Sturgell preached a very interesting sermon at Mattie on last Sunday from the text "Almost that persuades me to be a Christian".... Our Sunday School is progressing nicely with D. M. Justice as Superintendent.... Rose Moore attended Sunday School at Mattie last Sunday. Two boys.

CURED HEMORRHAGES OF THE LUNGS.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Louis Drug Co.

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The weekly Courier-Journal will also be furnished at the same price.

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**POTTER.**

Moving seems to be the order of the day. Raish Blankenship has moved to Greasy.... Lit Skeens has moved into the H. M. Dalton property.... Mr. Adkins, from Call, has moved to our branch.... Mrs. E. J. V. McHorn has moved to Dry Fork.... Rev. Mark Miller preached a very interesting sermon here Sunday and left an appointment for the third Sunday in April.... H. M. Dalton, of Cincinnati, is here.... J. J. Fay and J. L. Rogers are here loading lumber and ties.... J. Copley and Miss Doris Saulberry, both of this place, were married last Wednesday. They have our best wishes as they are both deserving young people.... Quite a number of drummers were here last week.... Albert Copley has been sick for the last few days.... Deo Belcher has finished sawing at this place and will soon move his mill. XYZ.

## Road Question.

Mud is drying up a little, but has not changed our notion regarding pikes-hard roads. But since we can only have just what we can pay down for and since we haven't the money as some one says, we must just go wading the mud. Had Patrick Henry said in his great speech in the Continental Congress "Let's wait until we get more money and just have what we can pay down for." I wonder if we folks would be enjoying the freedom we now enjoy. Would it have been fair for our good old patriotic fathers to sacrifice their means, and pay all the expense of the Revolution, and some of them die before the republic was organized, and leave the dearly bought freedom for us to enjoy without our paying one cent? Was it best for them to have just what they could pay down for? or was it best to gain freedom at any cost and let those who enjoy the good effects of freedom pay off the debt.

We mountain folks are continually being spoken of as "degenerates," as "behind the times," as "Fogies" and the good Lord only knows what all and all simply because each time there is a mention of improvement or an onward march of progress anticipated, some moss-back fellow is to say—"walt awhile" "walt awhile" "Procrastinate" "Procrastinate" and thus go along continually and forever behind time. Taking the stand that we should only build so much hard road as we can pay down for. Would it hurt us to collect a road tax and in a short time be able to build a few good roads anyway.

About the only person it would hurt the "miser" I mean that it just about takes his life to go down in his pocket each year and get a few cents for public improvement.

If there is no statute providing for such a road system we would like to know how our sister counties living under the same law in the same state, and under the same Legislative power, came in possession of their roads. They just simply had the "nerve" "grit" and were not afraid to use the greenback.

When our school term was made six instead of five we heard how go up, the cry raised in opposition by some of our citizens, but the six months stayed just the same. Now when the subject of better roads is being discussed some fellow mounds and cries for fear of a few cents, (more than anything else) but we are willing for each man to express his opinion, and accord to each individual the same privilege we want to retain for ourselves. Give us a vote and let's see how each voter thinks about the matter.

No need of Lawrence being behind one moment. Just take courage boys, cheer up, pick up grit, and lets not fear just little greenback and suppose we try one road through the county anyway. T—

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FRIDAY, March 31, 1905.

### Announcement.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

We are authorized to announce HARVEY JOBE, JR., as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Judge or Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

W. H. WOODS.

We are authorized to announce W. M. JUSTICE

as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce R. F. VINSON

as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Lawrence County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JOHN H. THOMPSON.

This Jan. 23, 1905.

We are authorized to announce MARTIN L. MOORE as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

We are authorized to announce G. W. SKAGGS, as a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce G. E. FUGGETT as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. D. O'NEAL, JR., as a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK:

We are authorized to announce FRANK A. JOHNSON as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce ADD. SKEENS as a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce WALLACE W. JOHNS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of County Court Clerk of Lawrence county.

We are authorized to announce JAMES C. SKAGGS as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF:

We are authorized to announce M. G. THOMPSON as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN G. BURNS as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce HENCE VANHORN as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JESSE M. CYRUS as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce J. M. EVANS as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JAILER:

We are authorized to announce JAMES S. JORDAN as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce DAVID SHORT as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Al Hays.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

We are authorized to announce MRS. HANNAH M. LACKEY as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN EKERS, as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SURVEYOR:

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. HIBBARD as a candidate for Surveyor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR MAGISTRATE:

We are authorized to announce J. W. SHANNON as a candidate for Magistrate in Louis District, No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN A. COMPTON as a candidate for Magistrate in the District composed of the Fallsburg and Bear Creek precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce HORACE HENSLEY as a candidate for Magistrate in the District composed of the East Fork and Dry Fork precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce R. F. PENDLETON as a candidate for Magistrate in District No. 1 of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Judge Thos. H. Paynter is now actively in the race for United States Senator, to succeed Mr. Blackburn. If he loses it will be his first defeat in a long political career. He is too good a politician to enter a race in which he had not figured himself a winner.

FOR ASSESOR:

We are authorized to announce THOS. H. LARGE as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce LABAN T. SIMPSON as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAMES L. JORDAN as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce B. F. CARTER as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

26,000 foreigners arrived in the United States last week. There is no greater menace to our country today than the admission of all the degenerates that want to come here. It is a great pity that Congress cannot rise above the fear of politics sufficiently to place the necessary safeguards around the welfare and liberty of the United States.

VESSEL:

G. W. Handley, who has been confined to his room with a broken leg, is improving.....Mrs. Ella Queen is reported to be convalescing.....Mrs.

Lizzie Cunningham is still in very poor health.....L. D. Webb, Esq., of Glenwood, was at V. B. Shortridge's Sunday.....Mrs. Hattie Hammond visited her father, Wm. Howell, last week.....Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Miller Saturday and Sunday.....Harry Queen and wife passed down Little East Fork Sunday.....Bob Yates, of Fort Gay, W. Va., was here Sunday.....Miss Ethel Dean of Uscola, was the guest of Miss Nora Shortridge two days last week.....A very quiet wedding occurred here Thursday, the contracting parties being J. C. W. Dean and Miss Minnie Miller. Mr. Dean is a young man of most excellent habits and is very popular. He was once a teacher of this county but is now engaged in insurance work. Miss Miller is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. C. T. Miller and is very popular. Their many friends wish them a success in life.....Samuel L. Cunningham, of Central City, W. Va., is visiting his sister here.....Messrs. Joel and Isaac Cunningham were at Louisa Saturday.

MONT HOLT

as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

T. L. MOORE

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

J. T. SWETNAM

To the Republicans of Lawrence co.: I am a candidate for the office of County Judge, subject to the action of the Republican party.

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## BIG SANDY NEWS

FRIDAY, March 31, 1905.

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There was a man in Michigan  
Who used to wish, and wish again,  
That spring would come,  
So he could bone  
And go away and fishigian.

Onion Sets at Sullivan's.

Meek cuts the prices at both stores.

Seed Potatoes at Sullivan's.

The Louisa public school has closed.

Meat, bacon, salt and ham at Sullivan's.

Gardan Seed in bulk and packages at Sullivan's.

Don't fail to see the dainty, pretty neckwear at Justice's.

Mattings are splendid bargains at our low prices. Pierce & Derrick.

Neckwear, all the latest fads at Shipman's the clothier.

Millinery, latest Styles and the most reasonable prices. Pierce & Derrick.

Have your shoes fitted at Ragland's Shoe Store, and thus assure comfort.

Wanted:—All kinds of country produce. Will pay highest market prices. G. V. Meek.

You will find nothing prettier and more stylish than Mrs. Justice's millinery.

If you are looking for a hat and want the exact style see Shipman, the clothier.

See the beautiful line of hats for Religious Thought department of the Farmers and children now on display at Justice's.

Save half of the cost by buying Wallpaper at wholesale prices of Pierce & Derrick.

Newest spring styles in dress and waist goods, all over laces and embroideries at Justice's.

The Louisa Produce Company made a shipment of three car loads of poultry and chickens last Friday.

Carpenters desiring work on the cannery factory building should apply to the company at once.

Before buying your spring hats you should see Mrs. Stella Lee's line of millinery. Lock Avenue.

Clothing for spring at wholesale prices, saving you 25 to 50 cents on every dollar. Pierce & Derrick.

Miss Grover Cleveland Taylor and Drew Burchett were married last week at the bride's home at Osie, this county.

Buy your shoes and clothing from D. Brown & Co., where they keep the best shoes and clothing for the least money.

Our Vessie correspondent tells of the marriage of Jerome Dean, of Ashland, to Miss Minnie Miller, of Vessie.

John and Will Diamond recently completed a large job of sawing near Louisa, and handled the work very successfully.

A jolly party of boys and girls very much enjoyed Tuesday evening spent with Braddie Chaffin at his home on Lock Avenue.

Ladies, don't buy hats until you see the display in the sample room of the Brunswick hotel Friday and Saturday. Belle Cummins.

James O. Pigg, age 37, and Miss Cora Hutchinson, 21, were married Wednesday at Madge at the home of the bride's father, Joseph Hutchinson.

To say nothing of the comfort, a shoe that fits perfectly will wear longer than the same grade in a misfit. Ragland fits both ladies and gentle men.

Mrs. R. Blankenship and children were here this week guests of Mrs. Luna Ratcliff. They were moving from Potters to Greasy, Johnson county.

The oldest inhabitant says he has never seen as fine March weather as 1905 has given us. The groundhog and all the other prophets made bad guesses on this month.

Mrs. Nita Payne, of Louisa, is visiting Dr. J. B. Bartram and family.... Dr. J. B. Bartram was called to Fort Guy to see his brother, who is very sick—Ashland Independent.

A new line of dry goods has just arrived, consisting of Linens, Waist Goods, silk linens and all latest styles of Woolen Dress Goods, Panama Cloth and Luster, all colors, at D. Brown & Co's.

The Lawrence County Oil and Gas Company is drilling another well on their territory near Yatesville. The completion of this well will be followed by others. The company intends to thoroughly test the field.

The friends of James K. Chapman who lives near Paris, Ill., will regret that his residence was destroyed by fire a few days ago, along with about half the contents. He is a brother of G. R. Chapman, of Louisa.

The ordinance of baptism was administered to Mrs. J. F. Davis, Earl Peters, Oscar Salyers and the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Picklesimer last Sunday morning by Rev. N. G. Grizzel, pastor of the M. E. Church.

### One Canning Factory.

### BRIDGE LETTING.

#### Bids Opened for the Louisa & Fort Gay Bridge.

At the appointed time on last Tuesday the directors of the Louisa & Fort Gay Bridge Company met at the court house and opened the large number of bids that had been submitted on the proposition to build a bridge, or rather two bridges, to connect Louisa with the "Point" and with our sister city of Fort Gay, W. Va. About fifteen representatives of bridge companies were present.

The latter company is now having the foundation for the factory put in, and the lumber for the building is being placed on the ground. Orders are being placed for everything needed and the work will be pushed with all possible haste.

A few more contracts for tomatoes are desired. Those desiring to get the benefit of this cash crop should apply at once for a contract.

The company binds itself to take all the products grown on the acreage contracted for, so that the farmer takes no risk of loss on this account.

It seems strange that almost every farmer within reasonable distance of Louisa should not put in more or less acreage of canning crops, as it brings them quick returns in cash, and much more per acre than corn will do.

This canning factory can handle \$20,000 worth of products from the farmers within a radius of ten miles of Louisa this season if they will produce it. This would be \$20,000 in cash more than they have been making, as it is a market for a class of products which our farmers could not heretofore find a market for in quantities.

We have heard a prediction that our farmers can not be dependent upon to do the work, but we have a better opinion of them than that, and we are anxious to see them justify this good opinion.

The following is taken from the Religious Thought department of the Farmers and children now on display at Justice's.

"When some genius equal to the task of writing a history of beauty appears, men and women will find a perpetual charm in its glowing pages. It will contain a page of joy, a page of sorrow, a page of peace, a page of war, a page of love, a page of hate, a page of poetry, a page of art. But it will contain many pages developing this thought—the tragedy of beauty."—Rev. F. F. Shannon Methodist, Brooklyn, N. Y.

All parties having Contracts with the Canning Company for tomatoes will please call on Mr. Chesterfield or at Snyder Hardware Co's Store in Louisa at once for tomato seed and the printed instructions as tomato seed ought to be planted this week or next.

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### The Burchett Residence Sold.

Major D. J. Burchett has sold his handsome Lock Avenue residence and four acres of ground surrounding it. The deal was made last Monday at Mt. Sterling by F. H. Yates, the irrepressible, irresistible, indefatigable real estate dealer of this place. The price was \$5,000.00, spot cash. The property has been transferred to Dr. T. D. Burgess, of Matewan, W. Va.

While here recently he saw the property and looked it over, and afterward decided that he would like to own it. He has, so we are informed, no definite plans as to the use of the property, further than that it will probably be offered for rent.

He has no intention of leaving his present location any time soon.

This is the fourth big real estate deal carried through by Mr. Yates during the last fourteen months with nearly \$30,000 changing hands on local property. If you want to buy or sell, all you have to do is to place the matter in his hands.

**Deserters Arrested.**

About the beginning of the Spanish-American war Levi Miles, son of Ben Miles, who lives on Blaine, this country, enlisted in the army. After serving a few months he was furloughed on account of ill health and came home. His bad health continued, so he says, and he never went back. Recently the names of several from this section who are said to have deserted, were furnished to some in Johnson county who has caused the arrest of several alleged deserters. Among these Miles was arrested Wednesday and brought to Louisa. Here he was turned over to the Johnson County party who will return him to the nearest military post which is Fort Thomas.

There is a reward of \$5 paid by the government for the apprehension of every deserter. Miles' claim of poor health is borne out by his appearance.

Under the circumstances he will probably be dealt with as leniently as possible by the army officers.

The Mt. Sterling Gazette says:

On last Friday Dr. J. F. Reynolds,

of this city, assisted by Doctors Sherry and Willis, performed one of the rarest and most dangerous operations known in Ophthalmic Surgery.

It consisted in removing a fibroma from the head of Lizzie Kidd, a colored woman living with Mrs. Hawes Lane, on Owingsville pike.

The fibroma is a tough fibrous tumor growing in the upper part of the nasal passage, and extending out across the face. In this case it had grown so large as to close both sides of the nasal passage, destroying the sight of the left eye, and cause the eyeball to almost protrude from the socket.

One of the highest medical authorities on this peculiar malady records twenty-one cases, three of which died to death on the operating table, while the fourth died from hemorrhage in less than twenty-four hours, which makes the mortality extremely large.

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### PERSONALS.

Ira Wellman was in Ironton Monday.

Dr. G. W. Wrotten was in Catlettsburg Monday.

Roscoe Ratcliff, of Clifford, was in town Monday.

D. C. O'Neal has returned from Denver, Colorado.

W. S. Harrison, of Ashland, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Rev. L. C. Tolbott, of Busseyville, was in Louisa Tuesday.

The Gossip Society met Wednesday with Mrs. H. A. Scholze.

Mrs. H. C. Sullivan has returned from a visit in Cincinnati.

C. L. Miller left Wednesday for a business trip to Midway.

## Unhappy Women!

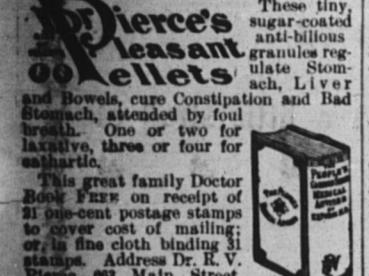
No woman can be happy when her health is undermined. No woman can live a good life when she suffers from female weakness, inflammatory ulceration or any disease of the delicate womanly organs. Nervous, sleepless, fretful, irritable, weak and timid, she does not live but only exists.

More than half a million such women have found a perfect and permanent cure for all their ills in the famous Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Women cured by this remedy say it is a "wonderful medicine," so perfectly restores them to health and comeliness.

There is no alcohol in "Favorite Prescription," neither does it contain opium, camphor, or other harsh drugs. It is in the strict sense an honest temperance medicine. Its ingredients are purely vegetable, and it will agree with all constitutions.

Don't be hypnotized or overpersuaded into accepting a substitute. This medicine has a record that's worth far more than any money you can pay.

Sick and ailing women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, either personally or by letter, absolutely without charge or cost. Dr. Pierce will make full examinations, offensive examinations and notorious local treatments considered necessary by many local practitioners. All communications treated as absolutely confidential. Write without fear and without fee to Dr. E. V. Pierce, 60 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.



WALBRIDGE.

Miss Stella Wellman was the pleasant guest of Minnie and Ruthie Wells. Johnnie Salmon and Dave Chatman attended church at Three Mile Sunday....Little Dave Chapman is seen going around the hill singing "Roll my pants legs to my knees".....Miss Jenny Wellman and Ethel See spent Sunday with relatives at Gallup....James Dean, who has been very ill, is improving.....The infant child of Roe Dean is very ill....Miss Nine Williamson, who has been very sick, is improving....There will be church at this place the third Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Miller in next month....Carl Compton is still visiting Torchlight....Miss Ethel See has been on the sick list.....We are sorry to hear Mr. Steward is intending to leave us in a few days for California....Emma Burk has been on the sick list.....There will be church here Sunday by Rev. Miller....Samuel Workman was visiting his sister, Mrs. Anna Wells, Sunday.....G. D. Williamson is putting up a grocery store....Henry Dean passed through here recently....Lot Wellman called on his sister at Gallup Sunday....Miss Myrtle Peters, of Gallup, who has been visiting her father, has returned home.

Three Chums.

### A DINNER INVITATION.

After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of Indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digestant and a guaranteed cure for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gas on the Stomach, Sour Risings, Bad Breath and all stomach troubles. N. Watkins, Letham, Ky., says: "I can testify to the efficacy of Kodol in the cure of Stomach Trouble. I was afflicted with Stomach Trouble for fifteen years and have taken six bottles of your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which has entirely cured me. The bottles were worth \$1,000 to me." Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

### UPPER LICK CREEK.

Every body is preparing to go to farming. Mrs. H. W. Castle, who been sick for several weeks is able to walk around the house. Also the child of Millard Fugget is some better....There is quite a stir over the tomato and bean raising.....W. P. Compton has contracted to raise tomato half acre of each.....Harry Castle came home from Savage Branch where he has

## For Thin Babies

Fat is of great account to a baby; that is why babies are fat. If your baby is scrawny, Scott's Emulsion is what he wants. The healthy baby stores as fat what it does not need immediately for bone and muscle. Fat babies are happy; they do not cry; they are rich; their fat is laid up for time of need. They are happy because they are comfortable. The fat surrounds their little nerves and cushions them. When they are scrawny those nerves are hurt at every gentle touch. They delight in Scott's Emulsion. It is as sweet as wholesome to them.

Send for free sample.

Be sure that this picture is the form of a label on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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### BOONS CAMP.

I notice from other correspondents that moving is all the go; so it is here, not only among our citizens but quite a lot from Lawrence county who are in the timber and saw mill business here. A family of Wilsons, from near Louisburg moved in last week and Raish Blankenship brought his family in this week.....Rev. Marion Castle, Nelson Sparks and Martin Ward moved from Lower Grassy to the Upper Grassy country.....H. Butcher, who about a year ago purchased a farm on Millers Creek and moved to it, has sold out over there and moved back to Upper Grassy. Shady Ward Sr., who moved from place to Magoffin county last year, has removed back here.....Miss Alie Wells, daughter of Rev. Aaron Wells has been staying with her aunt, Mrs. Harford Preston, of Buffalo, Shoals, for a few weeks.....Mrs. See Hinkle, of Martin county, spent a few days here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Len Wells, last week.....W. A. Wells, who has been down with asthma all winter, is getting better.....W. G. Wells, Sr., and S. W. Ward went down the river on timber during the recent rise.....Born, on the 22 inst., to the wife of Len Wells,

### WOMEN'S KIDNEYS.

Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculiar to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, headache, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by Louisa Drug Company.

### O S I E.

John Hughes passed through here recently with John Justice, who is insane. He was taking him to Louisville....Robert Jordan and Jeff Spillman were on our streets Sunday....Cecile and Biffie Carter, two of Owsie charming girls were horseback riding Sunday....Aunt Nancy Carter paid her daughter, Lexia Wellman, a visit this week....A. D. Bullock has moved to Normal. We are sorry to give Jim and his family up. They are good neighbors and are among Lawrence county's best citizens....Odie Hughes was on Cut Creek this week....Henry Hughes and wife called at B. F. Carter's Sunday....Flora Burton paid the Taylor girls a visit this week....Little Wellman and her aunt, Cora Carter, visited on Saint Branch Sunday....The rumor is that a wedding will be on our creek soon....Success to the NEWS and the Democratic ticket in November, is the wish of Uncle Tom.

If troubled with weak digestion, belching or sour stomach, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will get quick relief. Sold by A. M. Hughes.

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The infant child of Martin Webb is very sick at this writing. Also, the infant child of John Chaffin.

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